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Filed: May 4, 2001
For: METHOD FOR PROCESSING OLIVES
Group: 1761
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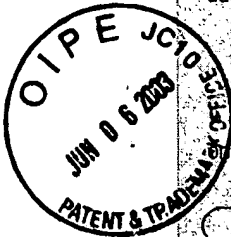
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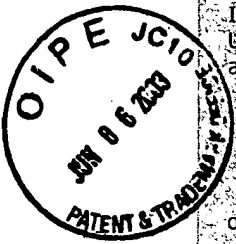
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In response to the Office Action mailed December 4, 2002 a three month extension of time for response to which is being requested, please amend the application as follows:

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